

**REMARKS**

The Office Action dated August 15, 2008 has been received and noted. The following remarks are being submitted as a full and complete response thereto. Authorization is further granted to charge counsel's Deposit Account No. 01-2300, referencing Attorney Docket No. 027885-00001, for any additional fees necessary for entry of this Response. Reconsideration of this application is respectfully requested in view of the following remarks.

**Rejections Under 35 U.S.C. § 112**

Claims 1-19 stand rejected under 35 U.S.C. § 112, second paragraph, as being indefinite. With respect to the remaining pending claims, the rejections are respectfully traversed. Specifically, claims 1, 4, 7-8, 10 and 18 have been amended and claims 15-17 have been canceled. It is submitted that such amendments and cancellations are submitted as being responsive to the Examiner's rejections. Reconsideration and withdrawal of the rejections of the claims under 35 U.S.C. § 112, second paragraph, are accordingly requested.

For all of the above reasons, it is respectfully submitted that claims 1-14 and 18-19 are in condition for allowance and a Notice of Allowability is earnestly solicited.

If for any reason the Examiner determines that the application is not now in condition for allowance, it is respectfully requested that the Examiner contact the Applicants' undersigned counsel at the telephone number, indicated below, to arrange for an interview to expedite the disposition of this application.

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Respectfully submitted,

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